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THE CANTON CLASH.

FULL STORY OF FIGHT ON BUND.

FURTHER ARMS ARRIVE AT CANTON.

(By "Telegraph" Special Correspondent).

Owing to the almost complete dislocation of telegraphic service between Canton and Hongkong, much delay has been experienced in getting detailed information from Canton regarding the fatal "clash" which occurred on the Bund on Friday last between the "Red" which occurred on the Bund on Friday last between the "Red" and a contingent of the "Red" army. Merchant Volunteer Corps and a contingent of the "Red" army. We are to-day, however, in receipt of the following detailed story from our special correspondent in Canton:

Detailed arrangements had been made for the Volunteers to be given their arms on Friday afternoon, and they had applied to Gen. Li Fook-lum for permission to guard the Bund, near to where the arms were being discharged, and this was granted. The Volunteers posted strong guards between the s.s. Paul Beau and the Canton Steamboat Co. wharves and directed all traffic off this part of the Bund.

Unloading operations began about 1.45 p.m. under the direction of the Volunteers. The cases were taken off the lighter and placed on trucks, and, as each truck was filled, it was taken up Taiping Maloo drawn by coolie women and guarded zealously by detachments of Volunteers. All went well until there were only about four more cases left, when about 1,500 to 2,000 "Blue Coats" of the Labour Battalion, under the command of an officer, marched down Taiping Maloo towards where the arms were being discharged, and attempted to break through the Volunteer cordon. (The Gendarmerie must not be confused with Canton's Police force. It was specially raised some time ago by Thio-hun Wu, and is known as the "Red Army.")

Volunteers told them to go back but they refused and thereupon tried to rush through and started firing. The Volunteers retaliated and completely routed the invaders, and in doing so conducted the affray in a very soldierly-like manner, remaining quite calm and composed.

EIGHTY ARRESTS.

The Labour battalion immediately took to their heels and took cover in the neighbouring shops and buildings, divesting themselves of their uniforms and equipment and generally trying to escape. But the Volunteers soon got busy and arrested as many as they could and eventually secured eighty and roped and chained them all together.

THE CASUALTIES.

The Commander of the Gendarmerie also fled and managed to get away, but his bodyguard or staff were nearly all killed or wounded and the following is the total of casualties:

Nine Gendarmerie killed.

One seriously wounded (Gendarmerie).

Two Blue Coats (Labour Corps) killed.

Three coolies killed.

Several coolies wounded.

Eight Volunteers wounded (all slightly in the limbs).

Many pedestrians who were on the Bund when the firing started, jumped into the river and tried to get out of the range of fire, and it is reported that about twenty were drowned.

A GRUESOME ACT.

The bodies were left lying in the street until 5.30 p.m. The body of one of the Blue Coats, which was in the centre of the street, was turned over on its back by a Volunteer (said to have been a doctor), who proceeded with a big knife to open it up and disembowel it. The man took the heart out and laid it on the chest of the corpse. By this time a detachment of Li Fook-lum's troops had arrived on the scene and took charge of the captured "Blue Coats" and marched them all past the gruesome sight.

DR. SUN RETURNS.

We are in receipt of further information to-day which states that Sun Yat-sen has now returned to Canton and is staying at the Cement Works, Canton. He came down from Shinkwan about three days ago, whilst his flagship, the Wing Fung, is now anchored off the City.

OLD ARMS.

It has now been discovered that the arms which the Volunteers took over on Friday were not the arms which recently

LOCAL PILOTAGE. INTERESTING VIEWS OF SHIPMASTER.

The stranding of the s.s. Tecumseh, and subsequent enquiry and finding, has given rise to a great deal of discussion on the topic of pilotage here, and a Telegraph man has obtained an interesting expression of opinion from a well-known deep sea shipmaster now in port.

"In the Tecumseh case," he said, "the Captain and officers stated that they could not get a pilot. Is it not time the Chamber of Commerce or the Port authorities made arrangements for a pilot to be had at either end of the harbour, or for ships coming from Canton? Many ships must have waited, often for hours, trying to obtain a pilot, and from what I hear, when a pilot does board the ship he is a Chinese comprador's runner, who, on many occasions, has never been to sea. If this be true of a big shipping port like Hongkong, it certainly requires remodelling."

There could be certain reforms, continued the shipmaster. "Why not have a pilot station at each end of the harbour, or arrange some system such as obtains at Singapore, Colombo, or Shanghai? If the owners of certain big local lines object to such, as they have too many ships coming daily into port, they could obtain exemption, similar to the Straits Steamship Company in Singapore.

"The pilots appointed under the new scheme should at least have been Master of an ocean-going vessel for one year. Some of the present pilots are men getting \$60 to \$100 a month. Should the Government start the new scheme, these men could be kept on, at such salaries, to look after the pilot boats and stations. The authorities could easily assist at the commencement by buying a few motorboats and, say, three buoys, to serve as pilot stations, and no doubt the pilots would be willing to return the money expended, by instalments. A proper pilotage system for Hongkong is most necessary."

HOCKEY.

CLUB v. C. B. S.

The Hockey Club will put out a "B" team against the Central British School to-morrow, at Happy Valley, the match commencing at 5.15 p.m. The Club (playing in colours) will be

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rived by the s.s. Hay. The cases on being opened were found to contain very old weapons. In number they are also far short of the full consignment, and the merchants are apparently determined to maintain the general strike (now effective throughout the Province) until such time as they obtain the complete consignment of new arms.

It is stated that Dr. Sun has threatened to authorise his troops to forcibly reopen the shops if the merchants persist in keeping their doors closed. Generals Lu Hung-chiu and Fan Shek-sang have been forced to send threatening circular letters to the merchants in this connection. In the opinion of these closely in touch with the situation, a long strike is predicted. General Chan King-ming is to be making final preparations to march upon Canton, and his advent would materially assist in bringing matters to a decisive head. One of the rumours in circulation is to the effect that an arrangement has been made between Chan King-ming's forces and the troops belonging to Sun Yat-sen and that so soon as the Bocca Tigris fort is taken over, Chan will be able to march upon Canton without any opposition.

At the meeting of the Legislative Council to be held on Thursday, the Hon. Mr. H. W. Bird will ask the following question:

"Will the Government take the necessary steps to ensure that the flags are in position on the Cenotaph at all times except during typhoon weather?"

HONGKONG LEPROSERS. NO OFFICIAL PROVISION FOR TREATMENT.

Interesting Replies to Questions.

Following the finding of the body of a murdered Chinese leper in a nullah in Wongnei-wu Valley, Kowloon Tong, on Wednesday last, the Telegraph has received a communication requesting information regarding the disease and its prevalence in the Colony. This letter also calls attention to numerous cases and alleges that lepers are housed in local hospitals along with other patients.

In an effort to throw some light on the question, a Telegraph representative has interviewed several Government officials connected with the medical service of the Colony and some interesting information has been obtained.

Dr. J. B. Addison, Principal Civil Medical Officer, upon being interviewed, said that the law made no provision for the handling of the leper. He said that if he or a member of the Sanitary Department or a policeman saw a leper on the street and knew positively that the person was suffering from the disease, it would be impossible to detain him and place him in a hospital without his consent.

Dr. Addison further stated that there were no provisions made for the isolation of leprosy cases in Hongkong.

"Have you any leprosy cases in the G.C.H.?" asked the reporter.

"None," Dr. Addison replied. "Whenevr a case does come in it is not allowed to remain in the hospital."

Dr. Addison said that it was his belief that leprosy cases among the Chinese in Hongkong were very few. He said that they were dealt with by the Chinese doctors, and most patients who contracted the disease in its advanced stages sought refuge among their own people in the small town or village where they were born and reared.

Leprosy, according to Dr. Addison, is not now regarded as a highly infectious disease, as in past years. Modern science treats it quite like tuberculosis, he said. He also called attention to the fact that there was little danger of anyone contracting the disease unless they came in actual physical contact with the leper. The disease is not found to be hereditary.

Contained in the letter to the Telegraph was also an allegation that there was a leper patient at Victoria Hospital and that this patient was allowed to mix with others.

This statement was denied by officials at the Victoria Hospital, and it was further denied that there is or ever has been any leprosy case in the hospital.

The 1923 medical report shows but one case of leprosy treated by the authorities during the year. The case was at the Gaol Hospital.

OUR CENOTAPH.

QUESTION REGARDING FLAGS.

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HONGKONG MAILS.

MASTER'S ALLEGATIONS OF DELAY.

We are in receipt of a letter from the Captain of a China Coast boat on the subject of the collection of mail from his steamer, in which he complains at the delay of the Post Office.

He states that his boat arrived

on Saturday with four bags of mail on board and, after he had made fast to buoy, he informed the Post Office. He hoisted the recognised mail flags—R.E.W. and those flags were flying from early morning until late at night. No Post Office launch came, however. The same flags were kept flying all day Sunday and up till three o'clock yesterday afternoon—the hour at which he wrote us. No launch had called for the mail and he intended to keep the flags flying all day today and to take the mail back to where it came from if no-one had called for it before he is due to sail again.

Our correspondent adds that sometimes ships lie at the western end of the harbour for two days before mail is called for, and he submits that mail should be taken off small ships just as quickly as off the larger ones.

FOOTBALL COMPETITION RESULT.

TWENTY COMPETITORS DIVIDE \$100.

Although a record number of entries was received for last week's football competition, none of the competitors succeeded in correctly forecasting the results of the three matches selected, Kowloon upsetting all calculations by their victory of four goals to one over the R.A.T.C.

Saddler Webb came very near to taking the whole prize, being only one goal out in his complete forecast.

Twenty competitors forwarded correct results of two of the three matches, and, in accordance with the rules of the competition the prize is equally divided among them. "Chopped" coupons have been posted to the winners, and five dollars will be paid to each upon presentation of the coupon to this office.

Canton and Macao competitors are reminded that they must post their coupons in time to reach this office before noon on the Saturday the matches are played, several which reached here on Monday morning being disqualified.

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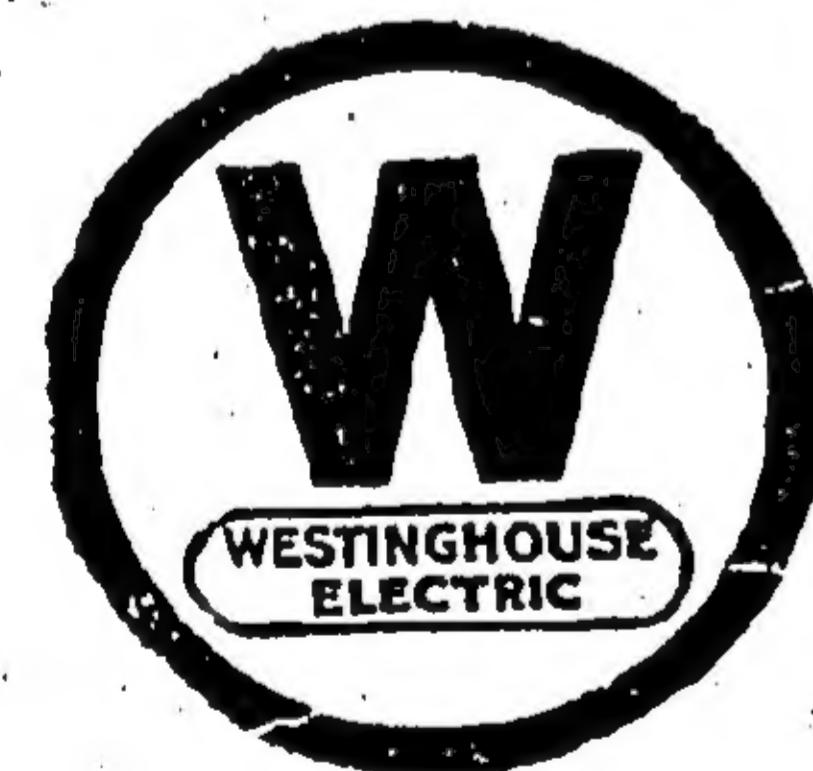
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Kiangse Road, Shanghai.**AQUATICS.****STEAM LAUNCH SUNK.****SUCCESSFUL CHINESE FUNCTION.****HARBOUR INCIDENT.**

The Chinese aquatic sports were held at the bath of the Victoria Recreation Club yesterday. Promoted by the South China Athletic Association, the leading sports organisation of the Chinese, and the Chinese Bathing Club, the function attracted a large number of spectators.

The meeting was of more than ordinary importance for it was arranged chiefly to select probable swimmers for the next Olympiad. To ensure a representative team a party of swimmers was invited to yesterday's sports from Canton. The visitors, however, did not prove as capable as the Hongkong talent.—In the 200 yards relay race Canton was badly beaten by Hongkong, the first and second places being secured by home teams.

The results were generally good, several of the races recording good times. A good deal of interest was aroused by the 220 yards breast stroke open to the Colony, which was won by Leung Tit-sang, J. Kent (of the V. R. C.) finishing second. The Ladies Free Style and the Ladies Nomination Races both attracted good entries, which showed the gradual elimination of the sex barrier in sports as in other things.

At the end of the sports the prizes were given away by Mrs. Li Yuk-tong, wife of the Chairman of the S. C. A. A. The prizes for the harbour race, held few weeks ago under the joint auspices of the two Clubs, were also distributed.

Mr. Wong Kam-ying, one of the Secretaries, introduced Mrs. Li Yuk-tong in a short speech. Mr. Li Yuk-tong replied on behalf of his wife.

After the presentation Mr. R. C. Witchell, Secretary of the V. R. C., congratulated the organisers of the meeting on the success of their efforts. He was glad to see the Hon. Mr. Chow Shou-sun and the Hon. Mr. R. H. Kotewall at the back of the sports. The Committee was also fortunate in having the help of Mr. Li Yuk-tong, whose interest in sports generally was shown by his generosity in donating a cup for the forthcoming harbour race for Chinese.

The Results.

The results were as follows: 50 yards free style: 1, Leung Tit-sang; 2, Leung Shiu-man; 3, Foo Wo-sing.

50 yards free style (for boys under 14): 1, Geo. Chue; 2, Ho Ping-kee.

100 yards consolation race: 1, Leung Shiu-man; 2, Wong Tack-lau.

100 yards open to the Colony: 1, D. Lyon; 2, J. R. Johnstone; 3, G. R. Razavet. Time 59 3/5 secs.

50 yards breast stroke for ladies: 1, Ruby Chue; Ho Lin-fun; 3, Tong Mo-lan.

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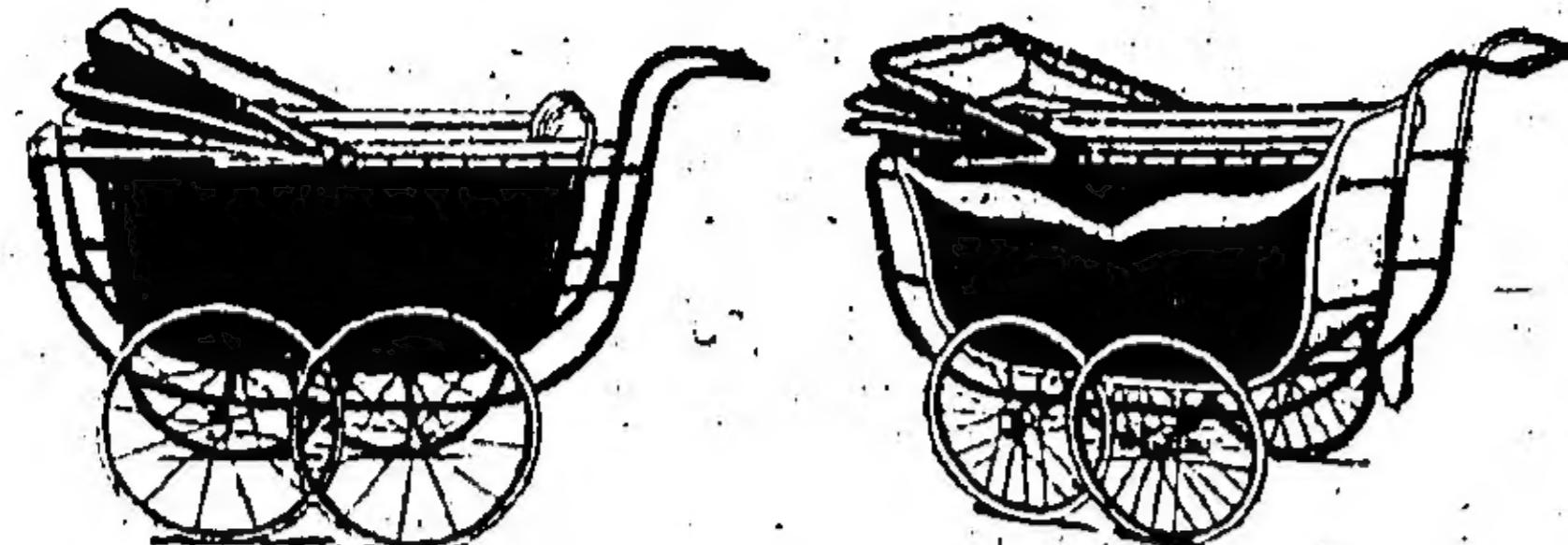
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THE RACES.

BIG HOLIDAY CROWD.

The holiday race meeting held yesterday attracted a large attendance and was favoured with ideal weather. The afternoon's sport proved to be exciting, but it was a day on which favourites generally won.

There were no untoward incidents.

The results and other details are appended:

Results.

Novices Race: From Two Mile Post Once Round and in: (about 1 mile 160 yards).—A cup presented to winning Jockey by Spotted Sand. For China Ponies. To be ridden by Jockeys who have not won more than five races. 1st Prize, \$400; 2nd Prize, \$150; 3rd Prize, \$100.

Mr. Roda's Roman Parrot (Mr. da Rosa) 1

Sir Paul's Orient Dahlia (Mr. R. H. Charles) 2

Sir Paul's Valiant Dahlia (Mr. Potts) 3

Also ran: Rialto Star (Capt. Oxspring), Smart Guy (Mr. G. W. Sewell), Bluebottle (Mr. Mezler), Satisfaction Dahlia (Mr. W. D. Goodfellow), Pet Mouse (Mr. Palmer) and Sunstar (Mr. Peat).

Time: 2 mins. 28 3/5 secs.

Won by two lengths; half a length.

Pari-mutuel: Winner, \$15.40;

Places, \$7.00; \$7.50; \$11.60.

Cash Sweep.

Ticket No. 422 \$1,327.20

161 379.20

12 189.60

Unplaced ponies (\$20 each):

Ticket Nos. 188, 356, 362, 128, 416, 246.

Ormonde Handicap: One Mile.—

For Ponies that have won at least two races since 1st January, 1924.

1st Prize, \$400; 2nd Prize, \$150;

3rd Prize, \$100. Jockey Allowance.

Mr. Dynasty's Spotted Sand (Mr. Davies) 1

Mr. A. H. Carroll's Fern Leaf (Mr. Harriman) 2

Lady Severn's Langsat (Mr. Zellensky) 3

Also ran: Rivergrass (Mr. Charles).

Time: 2 mins. 11 secs.

Won by a length, two lengths.

Pari-mutuel: Winner, \$9.10;

Places, \$5.70; \$6.40.

Cash Sweep.

Ticket No. 306 \$1,693.30

9 483.80

254 241.90

Unplaced ponies (\$20 each):

Ticket No. 500.

Letcombe Stakes: Six Furlongs.—

For ponies that have started in Hongkong at least twice previous to this Meeting and have not since left the Colony. 1st Prize, \$400;

2nd Prize, \$150; 3rd Prize, \$100.

Jockey allowance.

Messrs. Dyer and Boith's Pen-

castle (Mr. Zellensky) 1

Messrs. Birkett and Mackie's

Hartfield (Mr. Mackie) 2

Mr. J. de Jong's Drake (Mr. Charles) 3

Also ran: Bandicoot (Mr. da

Roza), Full House (Mr. Harriman),

Nastaran II (Mr. Seth), Gaudie

(Mr. Davies), Jungle Cock (Mr.

Palmer), Spearagrass (Mr. Potts)

and Exchange Bill (Mr. Sewell).

Time: 1 min. 36 2/5 secs.

Won by three lengths; two lengths.

Pari-mutuel: Winner, \$7.30;

Places, \$5.60; \$6.70; \$38.60.

Cash Sweep.

Ticket No. 195 \$1,886.50

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Unplaced ponies (\$20 each):

Ticket Nos. 171, 419, 227, 176, 566,

128, 146.

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Ponies. 1st Prize, \$500; 2nd

Prize, \$200; 3rd Prize, \$100.

Messrs. Dyer and Boith's Grey

Dragon (Mr. Zellensky) 1

Mr. Ferguson's Newton Abbot

(Mr. Spares) 2

Mr. A. H. Carroll's Silver Leaf

(Mr. Harriman) 3

Also ran: Watthead (Mr.

Sewell), Mopoko (Mr. Charles),

Silver Spear (Mr. Davies), Cotton-

grass (Mr. Goodfellow).

Time: 4 mins. 05 3/5 secs.

Won by three lengths; two lengths.

Pari-mutuel: Winner, \$9.60;

Places, \$6.90; \$8.50; \$9.60.

Cash Sweep.

Ticket No. 659 \$4,087.80

330 1,167.80

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Unplaced ponies (\$60): Ticket

Nos. 620, 368, 405, 687.

Paddock Plate: Half Mile.—For

China Ponies. 1st Prize, \$400; 2nd

Prize, \$150; 3rd Prize, \$100.

Jockey allowance.

Dr. F. H. Kew's Prince Regent

(Mr. Gibson) 1

Mr. L. Dunbar's Day of Surprise

(Mr. Charles) 2

Mr. Relyon's Uncle George

(Mr. Potts) 3

FUNERAL OF MR. M.
H. A. SEARLE.

The funeral of the late Mr. H. A. Searle, of the Dairy Farm Co., who died in the French Hospital on Sunday, took place at the Protestant Cemetery, Happy Valley, at 6.15 last evening.

The deceased who had won the affectionate regard and high esteem of a large circle of friends was followed to his last resting place by his late colleagues in business and a strong contingent of his townsmen.

The service at the graveside was conducted by the Rev. H. Johnston of the Union Church, Kowloon.

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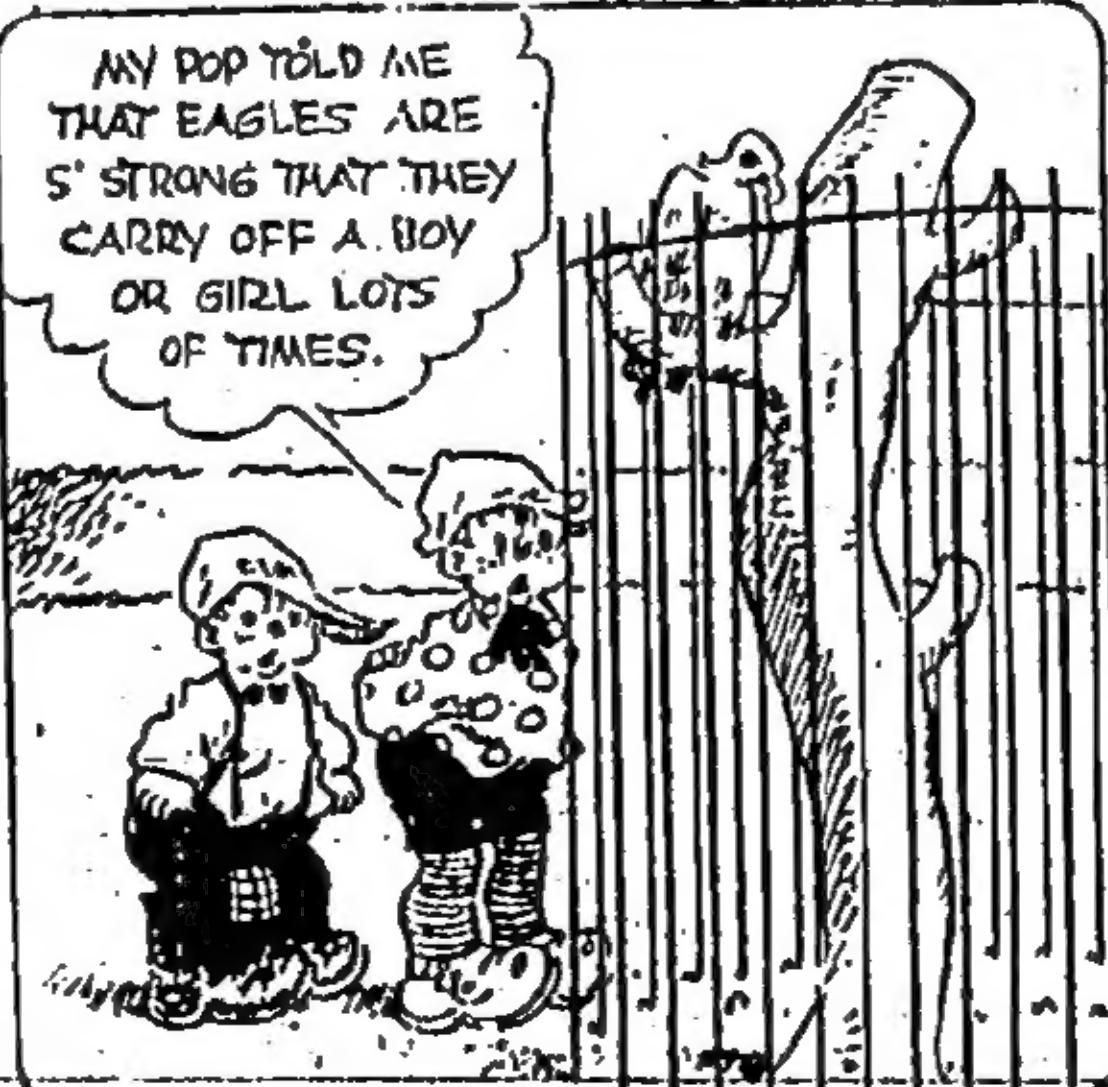
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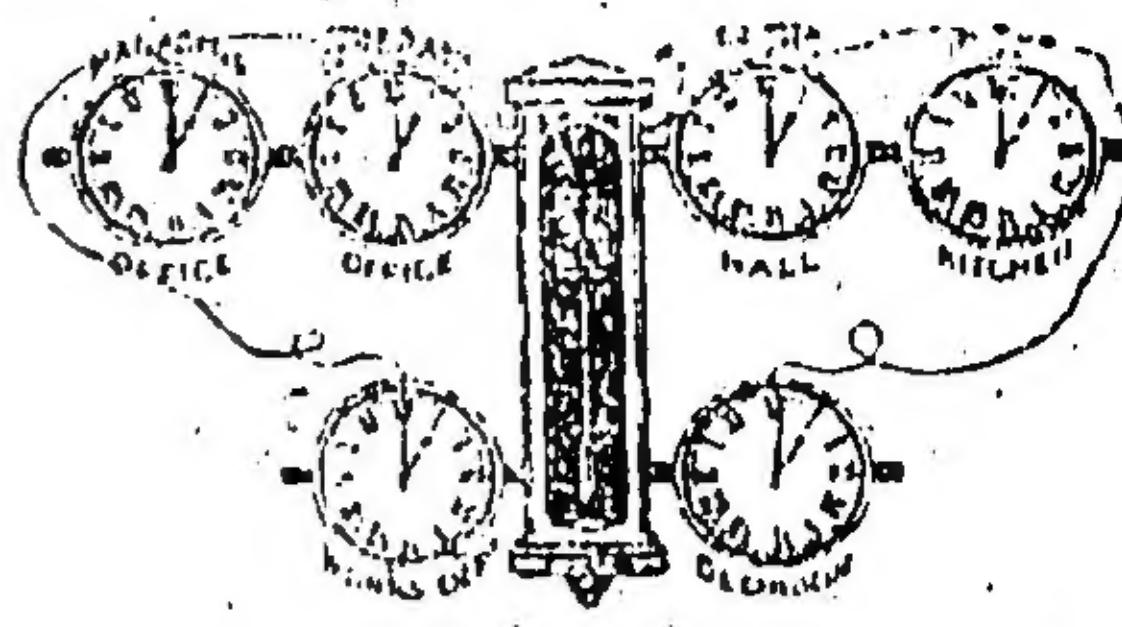


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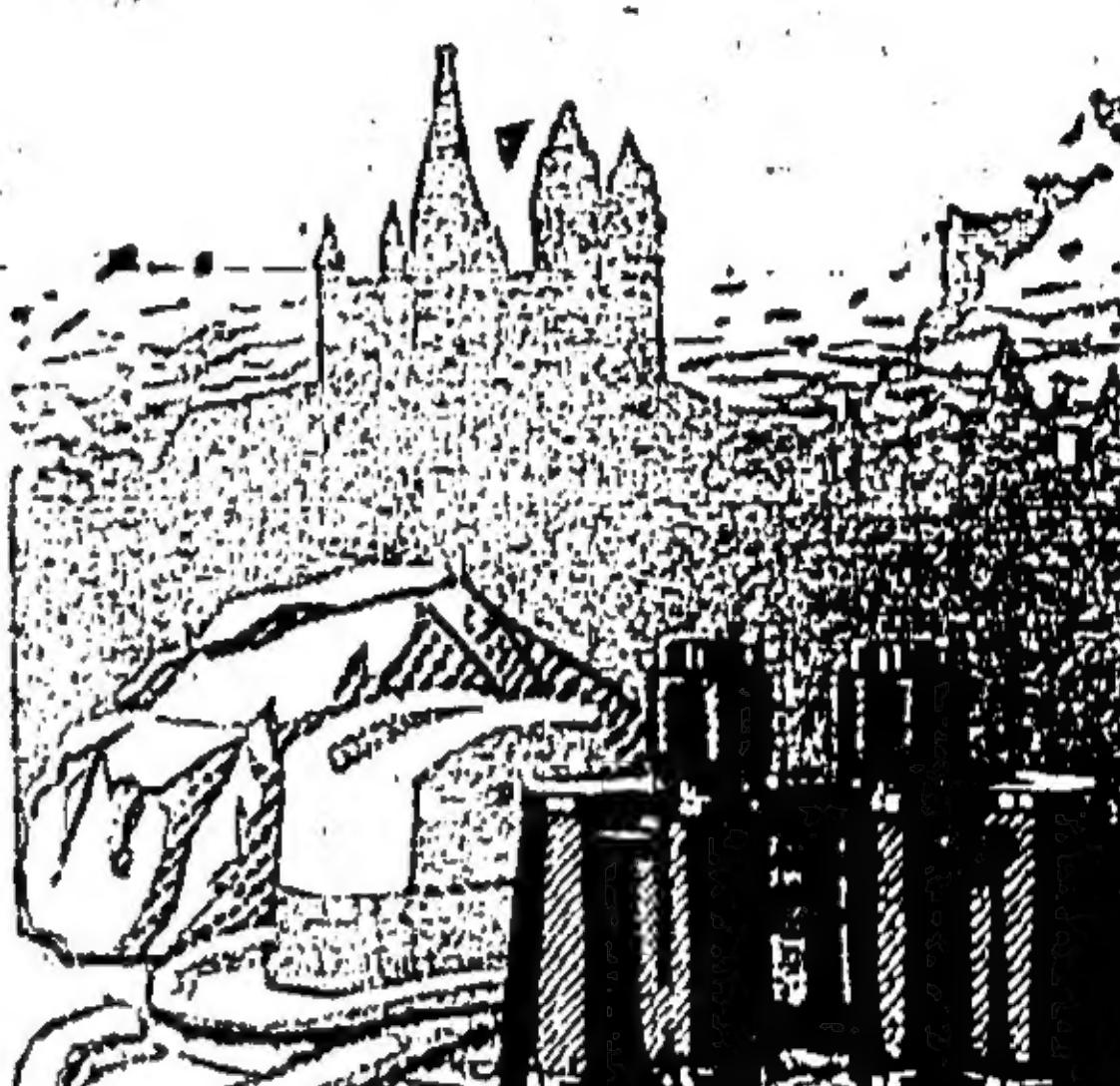
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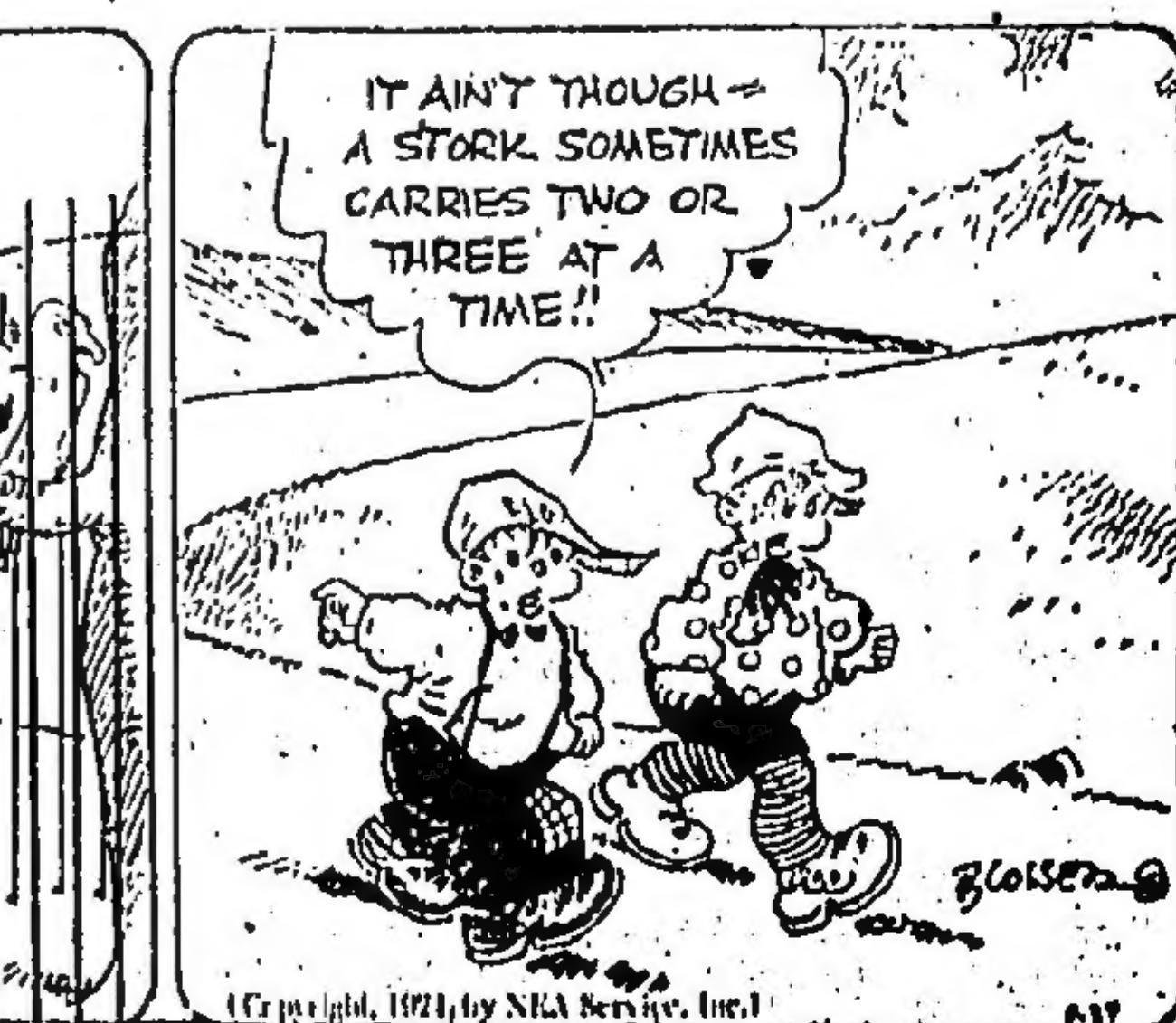
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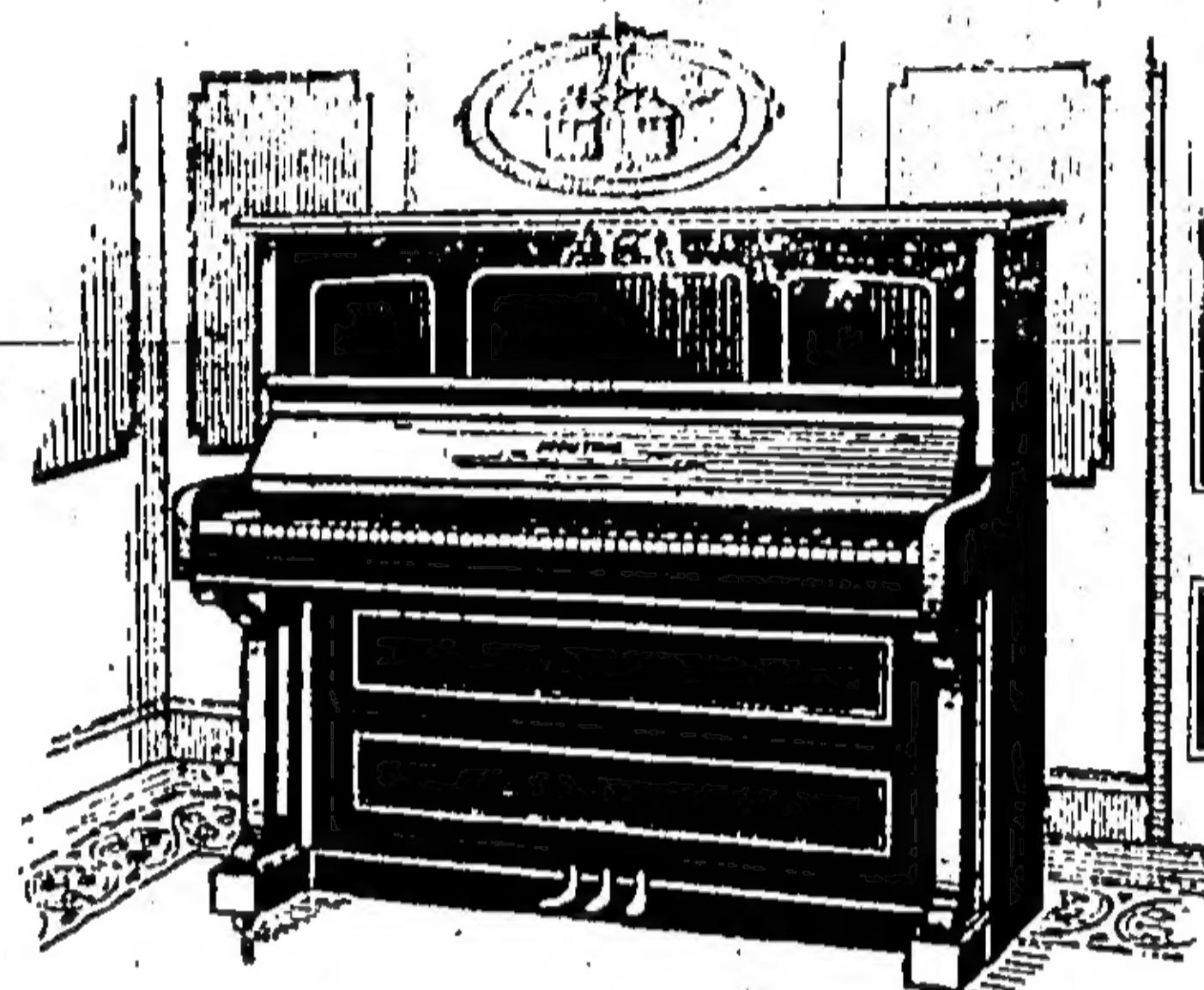
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BRITAIN.

One of the most interesting aspects of the pending general election at home concerns the activities of the Communists. Although communism has been officially repudiated by the Independent Labour Party it would be a mistake to imagine that the creed has not a very large following among the mass of Britain's lower paid workers or that it is doomed to ineffectiveness by reason of its absurdities. The fact has to be realised and faced that the tenets of communism are being accepted by a growing number of men and women, and that social legislation will have to be framed in such a manner as to rob their extravagant arguments of just that grain of truth which constitutes their strength. When Mr. Tom Mann, a figure of more than ordinary personality, stands up in Trafalgar Square and claims that communists intend to "upset the present damnable condition of society" it can be taken for granted that such a statement will make a strong appeal to the class passions of the men and women belonging to his party.

When communists demand the nationalisation of the mines, the railways, industries, land and banks, and when they further demand the imposition of a capital levy, the cancellation of war debts and reparations, the payment of a national minimum wage of £1 per week with a maximum working week of forty-four hours, they inevitably make an attractive appeal to the men and women who have nothing to lose and everything to gain by such a policy. It is not the skilled artisan or the thoughtful working man who will fall first to such pleading, but it is the underpaid, unskilled workers, the "worn works," and the half-baked political dreamers who will see in such a programme the "Eldorado" of their imaginations. The lesson of Russia is lost upon such as they, just as are the almost unalterable economic laws of modern society. These people fail to realise that the hope of possession is the great driving force of the modern industrial world, and that so soon as private ownership is abolished there will inevitably be swept away the incentive to personal endeavour that lies at the very root of our

social structure. These people fail to understand the present-day mentality of the bulk of mankind and seek to make changes utterly impossible. Their doctrines constitute a very real menace to society and it is society's business to counter them.

The only effective means of countering such arguments is to remove as many of the social injustices of the world as possible. That there are many injustices no-one will deny, and these are due more to selfish abuses of the present system than to the system itself. The problem for sane statesmen is to check and prevent such abuses, to safeguard the rights and welfare of the great masses of the working-class, and to rob those extremist doctrines of their force. It will be interesting to see just what measure of support is accorded the communist candidates in the pending election, for the "split" in Labour gives us our first opportunity of testing communism's strength in Britain.

A remand for the case in which three Indian shipboys aboard the s.s. Sui Yick are charged with inflicting grievous bodily harm on an Indian watchman, on Sunday, at the Lin Chun wharf, was ordered by Mr. R. E. Lindell as a result of an application by Sub-Inspector Reynolds at the Central Magistracy this morning. It was stated that the wounds received by Khan Singh were not very serious, but there was no knowing if complications might not set in.

DAY BY DAY.

NONE SHOULD DWELL TOO DEEPLY ON THE PAST—PULL OF MISTAKES, REGRETS, AND MIGHT-HAVE-BEENS. BY SO DOING THE MIND GROWS LIMP AND DISCOURAGED, AND THE SOUL'S ENERGY IS DULLED.—Aster.

There were four cases of typhoid fever notified during the holiday week-end, three of the sufferers being Chinese and one Indian.

"The Path" will be the subject of this week's public lecture of the Hongkong Lodge of The Theosophical Society, 16, Queen's Road Central, on Wednesday, October 15th, at 5.45 p.m. All are welcome.—Advt.

The maximum fine of \$1,000 or twelve months' hard labour was imposed upon a Chinese stonemason breaker at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning, for being in unlawful possession of two daggers. It was shown by the evidence that the daggers were found concealed on the roof of the defendant's hut at Tsoi Uk village.

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GREAT WRITER
PASSES AWAY.

ANATOLE FRANCE

The French nation is not alone in mourning the death of one of the greatest writers of our time—Jacques Anatole Thibault, whose pen-name was Anatole France.

A.P.C.'S NEW MOTOR
VESSEL.LAUNCHED AT TAIKOO
DOCKYARD.

The launching took place yesterday by the Taiwoo Dockyard and Engineering Co. of the steel twin-screw motor vessel "Pak Wan Shaan", built to the order of the Asiatic Petroleum Co.

The vessel is 95 feet long, with 17 feet 6 inches beam and a depth of 6 feet, and is built of light scantling to suit the limited draft.

Machinery is amidships, and there is a cargo hold forward and one aft arranged for stowage of kerosene oil in tins. Good accommodation suitable for one of the staff has been fitted in a steel deckhouse, while the crew are placed in rooms forward, with engine-room staff amidships.

The propelling machinery consists of two sets of crude oil motors, supplied by the Campbell Gas Engine Company, which will give a speed of seven and a half knots.

The naming ceremony was performed by Miss Gwen Tully, and the vessel took the water gracefully to the accompaniment of the customary expression of good wishes.

engaged, the old factor of "cumshaw" operates, from the humble private to the general with a breast glittering with decorations. It seems that the unity of China can be obtained after all—by whoever has the largest exchequer to draw upon.

POSSESSION CLAIM.
GODOWNS OR DOMESTIC
DWELLINGS?

Sitting in Summary Jurisdiction this morning, Mr. Justic Gompertz heard a case in which the Nah Kee Kung Sze firm sought possession of Nos. 410, 412 and 414, Des Vaux Road West, which premises were being used as godowns by the Nam Shing Cheung firm.

Mr. Eldon Potter, K.C., appeared for the plaintiffs and the Hon. Mr. C. G. Alabaster, K.C., defendant.

Mr. Potter said that the plaintiffs had obtained an indenture lease of the premises in question covering a period of ten years, and having secured this lease they gave defendant firm notice to quit on May 19th. It was his submission that the premises were used as godowns and as godowns only, but on June 16th the defendants replied saying that the premises were used as a domestic tenement and they added that they held a lease which did not expire until November. Mr. Anderson, of Messrs. Palmer and Turner, had visited the premises shortly after the notice to quit had been given and before the reply of the defendant firm had been received, and he was told them that there were no signs of the premises having been used as domestic tenements. The rooms were packed with merchandise and there was merchandise in the kitchens. The watchman was the only person who slept on the premises. On July 1st, Mr. Anderson again inspected the houses and on this occasion, on the first floor of No. 412, he found a space of about ten feet square had been cleared and four beds had been put there. On one there was something that might have been used as mosquito net but otherwise there were no signs of the place having been used. No one's personal effects were to be seen. The beds, he pointed out to his Lordship, made their appearance after the service of the notice to quit. He submitted (1) that the houses were never used by defendants as domestic tenements; (2) that if they had been, defendants had no right to turn them into such to the detriment of the landlord; and (3) that the premises were not habitable and the Court should not therefore consider it.

Mr. Charles P. Anderson gave evidence in support of Mr. Potter's opening statement and added that he was of the opinion that the premises were not habitable and that the Sanitary Board would never allow anyone to use them as domestic tenements.

A Chinese woman, the owner of the premises, said she leased the premises to plaintiffs for ten years. She employed a man named Fung to collect the rents. He did not give the defendants a lease and he could not do so without her consent.

Mr. Alabaster claimed that the premises were in fact being used as domestic tenements. Four men slept on the premises, scattered over the three buildings and they used one kitchen.

Mr. Potter: We inspected all the kitchens and they were stacked with merchandise.

Continuing, Mr. Alabaster referred to the question of lease and said that when defendants went into possession in 1916 they were given a two years' lease. At the expiry they were given a three years' lease and then a further period of three years. He submitted that when the owner spoke of not giving a lease she meant a deed. A deed was necessary for a ten years' lease but a three years' lease might be given verbally.

The rent collector was called for the defence, and he told the Court that he conducted the affairs of the present owner's deceased husband when he was alive. He thought the property was assigned to the widow before her husband died.

The admissibility of oral evidence of the material lease was questioned by Mr. Potter, who said that Mr. Alabaster was in possession of a document which purported to be the lease and if it was it must be put in. He could not have verbal evidence instead.

Mr. Alabaster handed the document to his Lordship and said that it was not certain whether it was supposed to be a lease or a memorandum.

His Lordship remarked that it was very much like the usual memorandum.

The case is proceeding.

BOXING ASSOCIATION.

THE ANNUAL REPORT.

The report of the General Committee of the Hongkong Boxing Association, which is to be presented at the annual meeting to be held this evening, states:

From the accounts it will be seen that there is a balance in the General Account of \$432.45 and in the Tournament Account of \$9.56. The small balance in the Tournament Account is due to the extra purse money provided, consequent upon five championship fights having been fought during the season.

The Welterweight Championship was won by A. B. Dixon, the Lightweight Championship was won by A. B. Chadwick twice thereby winning the belt outright, the Featherweight Championship was also won by A. B. Chadwick and the Heavy-weight by Bombardier Barton.

Offers have kindly been made by Messrs. R. M. Dyer, J. Scott Harston, G. M. Young and S. J. Clark to replace Belts that have been or may be won outright.

A silver Challenge Cup was presented to the 2nd Batt. The King's Regiment on their departure from the Colony and a Shield has been presented to the 1st Batt. The East Surrey Regiment by the Association.

A donation of \$100 has been made to the Poppy Day Sub-Committee and is included in the accounts under review. Out of the surplus in hand at the end of the season, the Committee have also made the following further donations.—Poppy Day Sub-Committee \$100, British Legion \$100, Staff Sergeant Hunt \$250, Fresh Air Fund £5 and £50 each to the Honorary Secretary and Manager.

The Association has unfortunately lost the services of two Vice-Presidents, Sir William Rees Davis and the late Hon. Mr. A. G. Stephen, one of their Medical Officers, Dr. C. Forsyth and late Hon. Mr. A. R. Lowe who had officiated as Honorary Auditor to the Association since its inception. The Association wish to place on record their deep appreciation of the services rendered by those gentlemen.

Messrs. R. M. Dyer, G. M. Young and Lieut. Col. Montague Bates, C.M.G., D.S.O., etc. have consented to become Vice Presidents of the Association.

Under the rules of the Association all the officials (except the President and Vice President) and the members of Committee retire at this meeting. Mr. R. M. Dyer and Mr. J. Scott Harston offer themselves for re-election as Chairman and Vice Chairman respectively. Mr. J. Brook as Manager and Mr. T. G. Bennett as Honorary Secretary and Honorary Treasurer or offer themselves for re-election.

Messrs. S. J. Clarke, P. C. Hall, F. C. Jenkins, W. Ward and G. M. Young offer themselves for re-election on the General Committee.

Under rule 3 the Police have again nominated Sub-Inspector Marks as their representative on the General Committee. Nominations have not yet been received from the Navy and Army.

Mr. John Fleming has very kindly audited the accounts and offers himself for election as Honorary Auditor of the Association.

Dr. J. C. MacGowan has kindly consented to act as an Honorary Medical Officer of the Association.

THE ORIENTAL SHOWS.

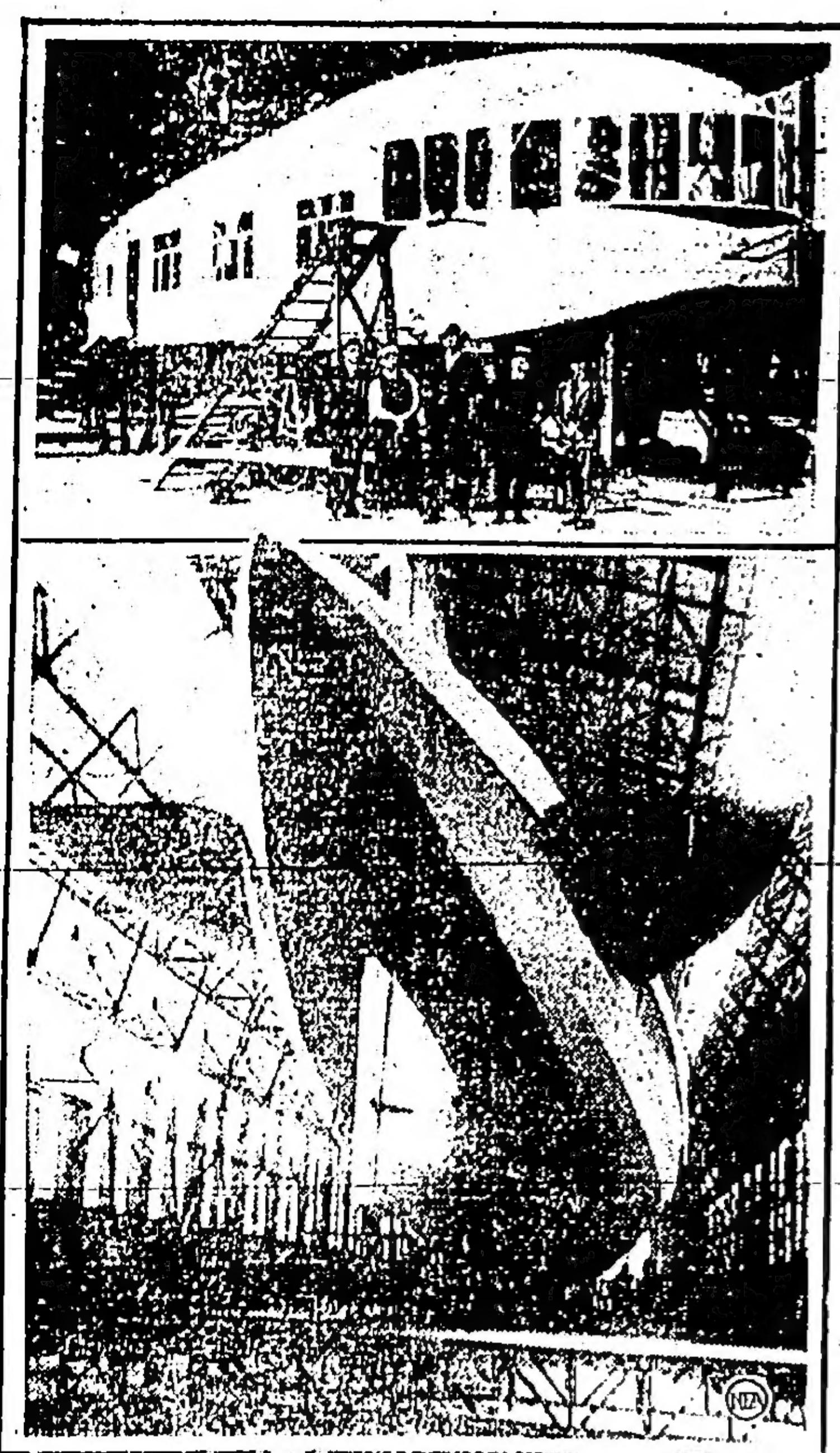
ALTERATION OF OPENING DATE.

In consequence of the heavy work entailed in clearing up the ground, which was in a very rough and uneven condition, the opening night of Oriental Shows for the general public has been put back to Thursday night and the private exhibition will take place on Wednesday the 15th inst when only those holding invitation cards will be admitted.

It must be strictly understood by the general public that the private exhibition is presented to officials only and is somewhat in the nature of a censorship, consequently only those officials who are responsible to the general public for the presentation of the entertainment will be admitted.

Already the work is well under way, and it is only by paying a visit to the spot that one can realise the magnitude of the enterprise with its huge machines, tents, mechanical devices and the many and one attractions that are to be presented.

GIANT AIRSHIP'S LONG FLIGHT.



The ZR-3, the German Zeppelin, has just started on its flight across the Atlantic. Above is the cabin of the ship being inspected by American newspaper men. Below is a full view of the dirigible in the hangar at Friedrichshafen.

WILY TURKS.

TWISTED TALE OF GENEVA PACT.

Geneva, Oct. 13. The Turkish Government has telegraphed to the Council of the League of Nations recapitulating the correspondence with Britain relative to Iraq, and claiming that Turkey is respecting the position as it existed on September 30th in accordance with the agreement reached at Geneva, whereon Britain is insisting on the demands she advanced in an earlier note and is violating her Geneva undertaking.

The telegram adds that if Britain, disregarding her undertaking, disturbs the peace and commits acts of aggression, the responsibility will be entirely hers. It requests the Council of the League to adopt measures to compel respect for the decision of the Council. *Reuter.*

JAPAN EXPLAINS WHY PROTOCOL WAS AMENDED.

Paris, Oct. 13. The Japanese Embassy has issued a statement defending the attitude of the Japanese delegation at the League Assembly towards the disarmament Protocol. It says: "The wild tales that Japan's objective was the United States or certain British dominions were purely imaginary, and entirely foreign to the delegation's motives." It declares that the delegation loyalty intended to keep the League's Covenant free from a patent inconsistency. *Reuter.*

DAWES PLAN.

FORMALLY SET ON FOOT. Paris, Oct. 13. The machinery of the Dawes plan was to-day set in full operation by the Reparations Commission issuing a formal declaration that Germany had fulfilled the preliminary conditions, including the installation of various international controlling bodies and establishment of a company to administer the German railways, and the deposition of railway bonds and industrial debentures with trustees. *Reuter.*

MECCA THREATENED.

Cairo, Oct. 13. It is reported that the Wahabis refuse to negotiate, and intend to advance on Mecca. Emir Ali and all his Government have withdrawn to Bahri. *Reuter.*

GIANT AIRSHIP'S LONG FLIGHT.

MOTOR PROSECUTION.

SEQUEL TO KOWLOON ACCIDENT.

At the Kowloon Magistracy this morning, before Mr. E. W. Hamilton, Tak Kan Wong was charged on remand with (1) reckless and negligent driving in Nathan Road, (2) driving with a learner's licence in Nathan Road and (3) failing to produce his licence when called upon.

Mr. C. H. Lyson defended.

A Welhatwell constable said he was on duty at the Po Hing Theatre about six o'clock on September 15th. He had just signalled a motorbus to proceed towards Mongkok when defendant's car came out of Gascoigne Road without sounding his horn and went off towards Mongkok also. Some few minutes later he noticed a crowd gathering some distance away and on going to the scene discovered that defendant had knocked down a Chinaman.

The complainant and a man who was with him stated that defendant did not blow his horn.

In the box defendant said he sounded his horn before turning the corner of Gascoigne Road and before the accident occurred.

This evidence was corroborated by defendant's cousin who was in the car with him at the time.

Sgt. Hallam said that two hours after the accident defendant failed to produce his licence when requested at Yau Ma Tei Police Station.

His Worship said that defendant was not driving at that time. He was not asked for his licence by the constable and that charge would therefore be dismissed.

Mr. Lyson asked his Worship to take into consideration the fact that defendant had compensated the injured man and had paid his hospital expenses.

He also asked his Worship not to recommend to the C.S.P. that a licence should not be granted to defendant as he was the manager of a firm at Castle Peak.

His Worship cautioned defendant on the first charge but said there was no excuse for driving in Nathan Road with a learner's licence. A fine of \$50 was imposed.

THE CHINA STATION.

FORTHCOMING CHANGES.

The light cruiser Despatch, Captain R. C. Davenport, is to be recommissioned for further service on the China Station. The following officers have been appointed to the Despatch on recommissioning: Commander H. Westmacott, in relief of Commander A. N. Dowding; Lieutenant-Commanders A. R. M. Biddle and G. A. Robinson in relief of Lieutenant-Commanders E. S. Brooksmith (gunnery officer) and E. C. Wrey, M.B.E. (navigating officer); Lieutenants R. F. Bosanquet, H. H. Rogers (torpedo officer, re-appointed); G. F. P. Watkins, G. N. Rawlins; Sub-Lieutenant J. F. Jossel; Commissioned Engineer J. L. Crawford, in relief of Commissioned Engineer B. J. C. Johns.

Commander G. A. Browne has been selected for service at Hongkong Dockyard, and has been posted to the Tamar, depot ship there, with effect from Nov. 18 next. Among other appointments are:—Commissioned Engineer H. Allen to the river gunboat Foxglove; Warrant Engineer P. H. Tall to the light cruiser Carisle; Warrant Engineer J. L. Hoskin to the Ambrose; and Warrant Mechanician P. C. Davenport to the flagship Hawkins.

Orders have been given for the relief crew of the light cruiser Despatch, now serving in the Fifth Cruiser Squadron on the China Station, to be conveyed to Hongkong by the light cruiser Weymouth, which will leave Portsmouth on Oct. 28. On the arrival of the Weymouth at Hongkong the Despatch will pay off and recommission with a full Portsmouth crew for further service as an independent command on the China Station. The Weymouth will also take out other miscellaneous details and take the present Chatham crew of the Despatch home.

On Monday morning a second match was played, this being against the "South China Atleti Macao" and again the Hongkong team were the winners, but only by the narrow margin of two goals to one. The match was an extremely good one, but it served to prove that the Macao team need a lot more training.

HOME FOOTBALL.

TWO HOLIDAY MATCHES.

MACAO FOOTBALL.

HOLIDAY WEEK-END RESULTS.

THE RESULTS OF THE GOLF COMPETITIONS HELD OVER THE HOLIDAY WEEK-END WERE AS FOLLOWS:

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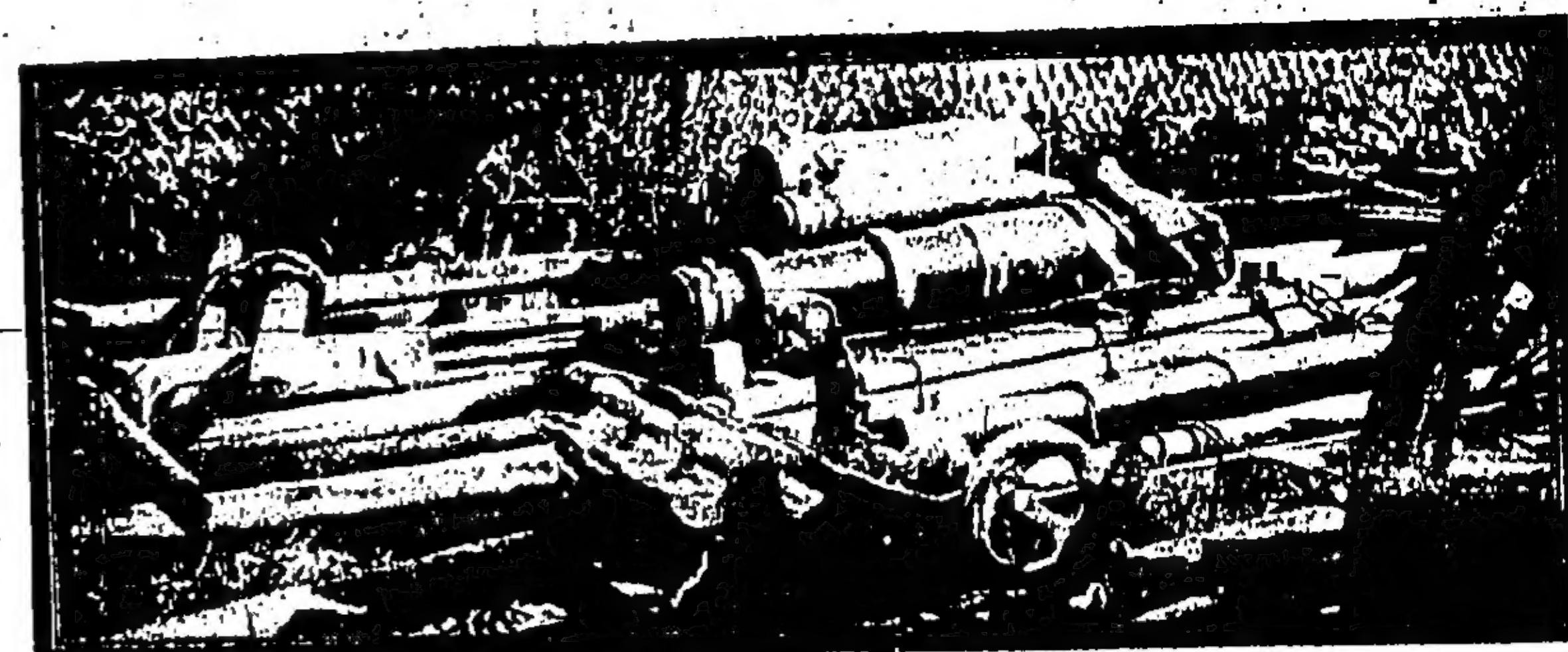
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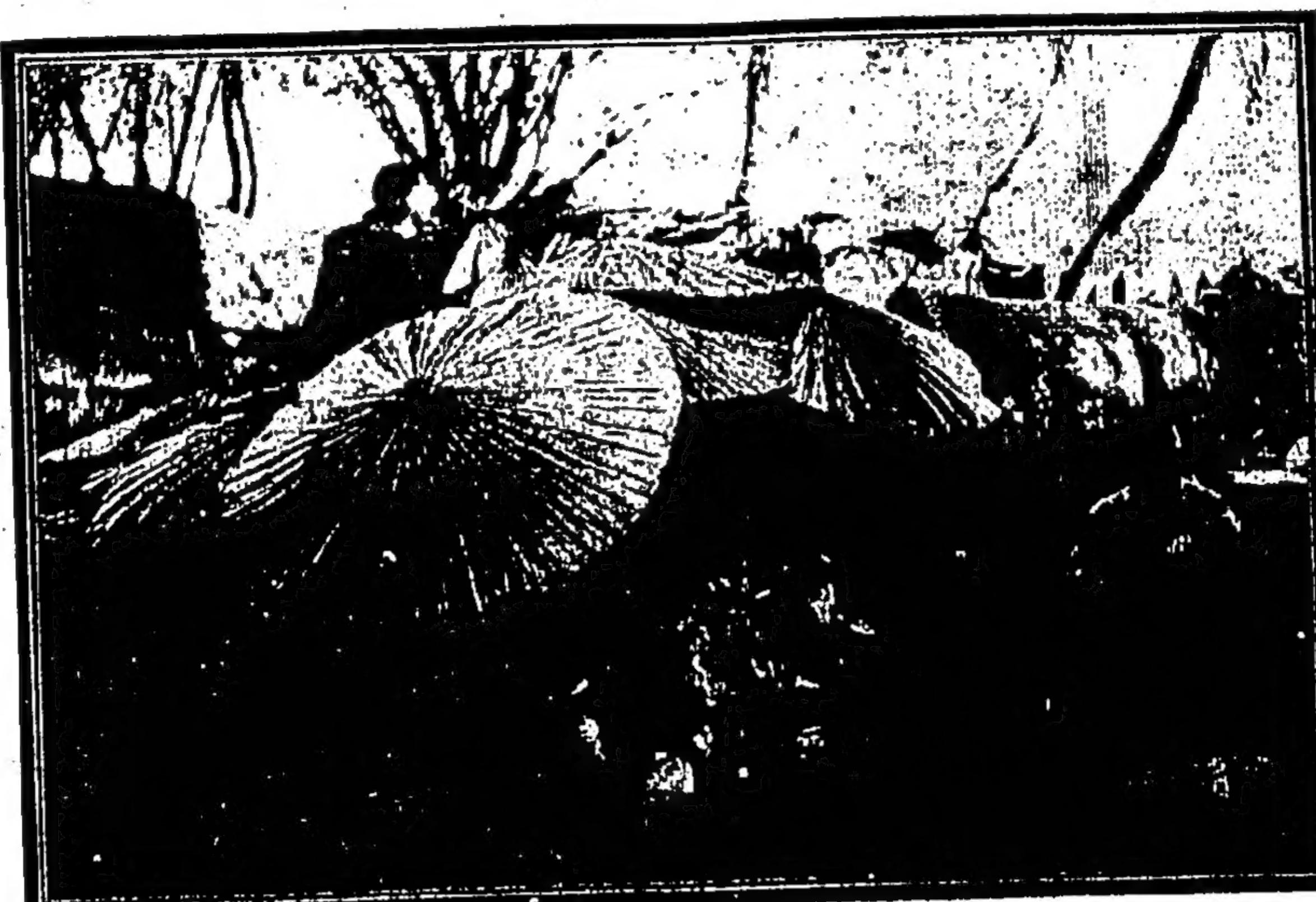
CAMERA NEWS



This is the shrine the people of Tokyo have erected on the site of the great Honjo Army Clothing Depot, where thousands were killed in the earthquake of last September.



The mountain guns used by the Chekiang army are carried on bamboo poles and can be assembled in a very short time. Picture shows some of the component parts waiting to be moved up the line.



When Chinese soldiers get to the front and cannot secure a tent or some other cover, they build a temporary shelter with umbrellas. These are weighted down with bundles of faggots.



Mine V. Ozaki (left), Japan's foremost authoress, and her daughter, Shinaye Eugenia Ozaki (right), are visiting the United States to see if American women are as much misrepresented by writers as are Japanese women.



June Ng, queen of, what is believed to be the first Chinese girl chorus. The chorus was formed in San Francisco's Chinatown and will tour the country.



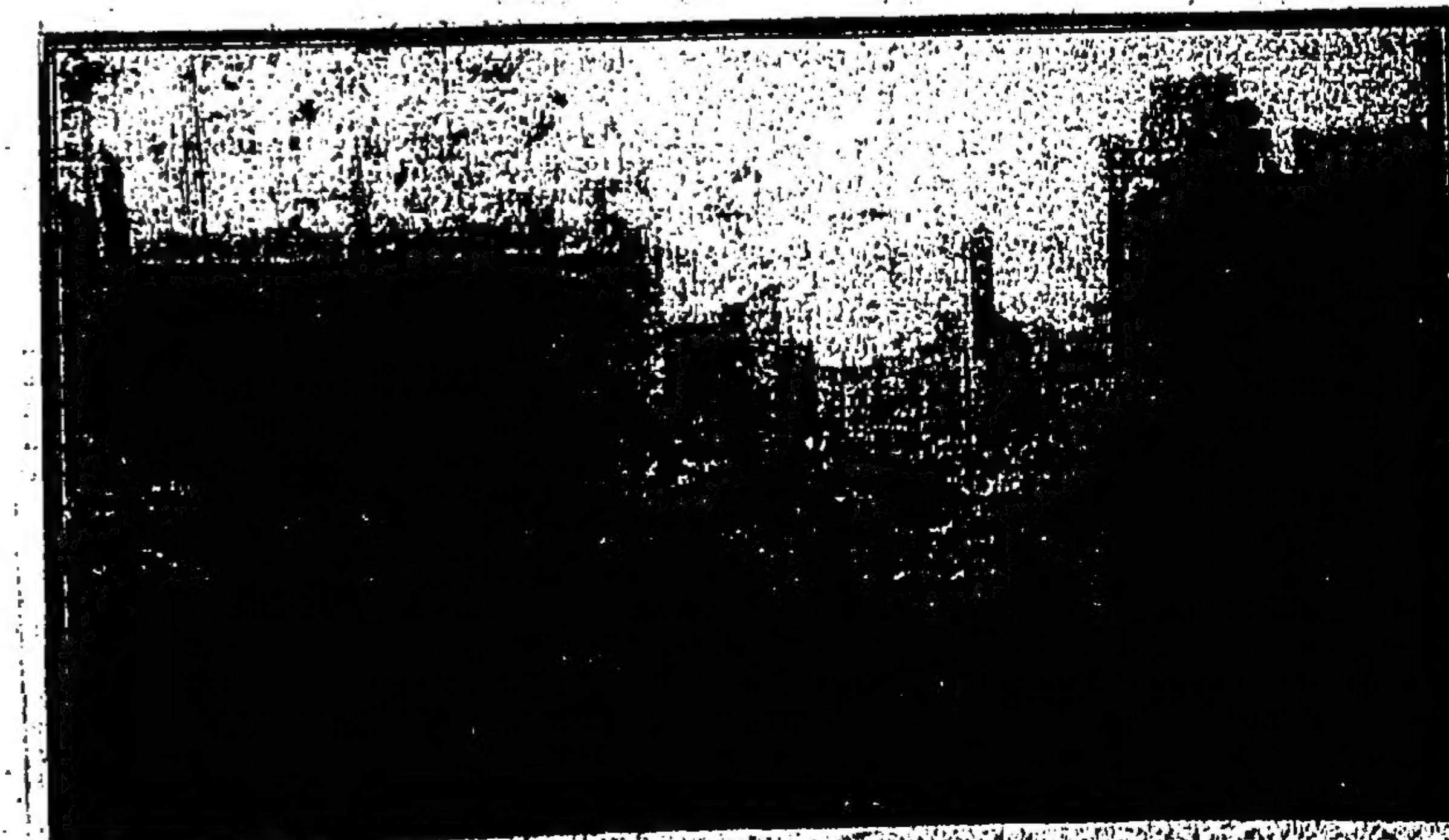
The biggest candidate in West Virginia this year is Squire Ogle O. Karnes, who tips the scales at 400 pounds.



Army officers are still marvelling at the explosion of this 75 mm gun in Battery C at Camp Knox. The tube of the gun was blown off the cradle during practice.



A baby airplane, now the “pet” of the air service, weighing only 400 pounds and consuming one gallon of gasoline for 20 miles, at Dayton, after a 1300-mile journey from Texas. The wing has a spread of but 18 feet and the plane can make 105 miles per hour.



Heavy shell fire from Ba Kiangku artillery and the Kiangku warships started a big fire in Liangku recently, and as a result practically the whole of the northern district was destroyed.

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MANTUA	10,902	13th Dec.	M'les, London & Antwerp
SOUDAN	6,096	24th Dec.	Spore, P'ang, C'bo & B'bay
KHIVA	9,135	27th Dec.	M'les, London & Antwerp
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KALYAN	9,118	24th Jan.	M'les, London & Antwerp
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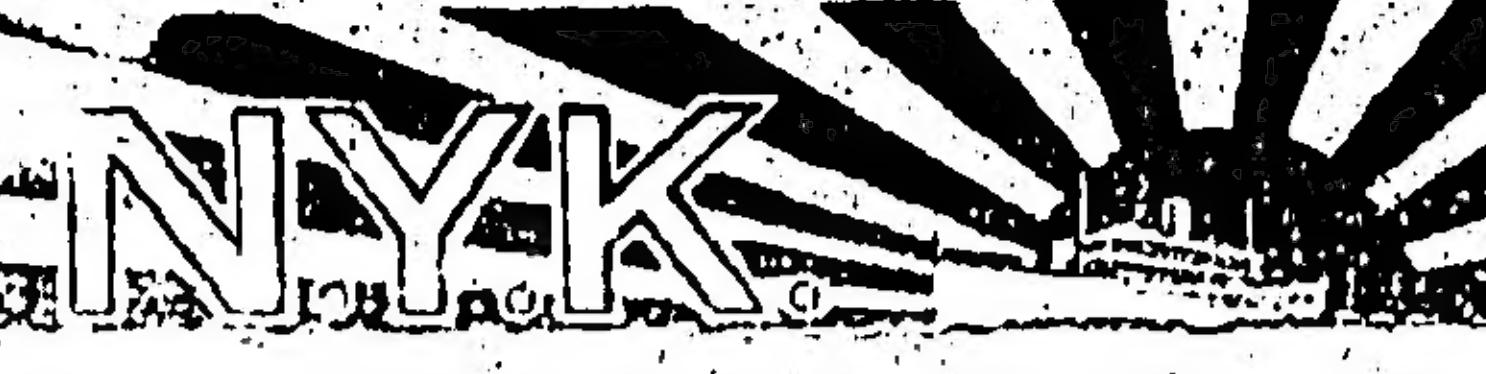
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Sub-Inspector Clark told his Worship that the defendant jumped off one of the Yaumati ferry boats and was rescued by one of the soamen on board.

The Magistrate told the accused that the kindest thing he could do for him was to send him to prison where he would get the best of food and attention.

Defendant was sentenced to three weeks' imprisonment and ordered to re-appear before the Court at the expiry of the sentence, when he will be made a donation from the Poor Box.

WEATHER REPORT.

October 14th. 10h. 32m.—Pres-
sure has increased slightly over
Japan. It is nearly stationary in
other districts.

A feeble anticyclone covers
Japan.

Gradients are shallow over
China and the China Sea.

Hongkong rainfall for the 24
hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day,
0.00 inch. Total since January
1st, 97.70 inches, against an
average of 78.99 inches.

FORECAST FOR THE 24 HOURS
ENDING AT NOON TO-MORROW.
District. Forecast

1 Formosa Channel N.E. winds,
moderate.

2 South coast of S.E. or
H.K. & Lamock's variable
winds.

3 H'kong to Gap moderate

4 South coast of Rock.....
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Stonecutters, under Army conditions.

As was expected the East Surrey
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by no means discredited, for they
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marksmanship under rules which
were somewhat strange to them.

Detailed scores are not available
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